Health Data 2.0: Digitizing Health for the 21st Century



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Project Summary	Division of Behavioral health uses the IHS Electronic Health Records to report on a number of program topics. This project will focus on data collection and analysis of two leading public health topics- alcohol and substance use disorder and pharmacy.
Country	United States
Agency	Indian Health Service
DoS Office	N/A
Post	N/A
Section	N/A
Number of Interns	1

Project Description

Capturing health care access and utilization relies on proper documentation using a standard medical classification list known as ICD 9. A new edition to this list, now called ICD 10 requires a comprehensive conversion between the former and current codes. The selected intern will work closely with leads between the IHS data coordinator for the Division of Behavioral Health and Office of Statistics to develop proficiency and use of the 3M programming software to improve data reporting and program analysis.

Desired Skills Interests

Additional Information

You will work amongst a team of social workers, nurses, pharmacists, data coordinators, policy and program advisors who are passionate about serving American Indians and Alaska Natives. You will get the opportunity to learn about the programs we work on related to substance abuse, suicide prevention, domestic violence prevention, forensic healthcare, trafficking, and overall wellness.

Language Requirements

None